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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**under C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Sir:

For replying to the Office action dated November 20, 2007 in the patent application identified above, Applicant hereby requests an extension of time of three months, from February 20, 2008 to May 20, 2008.

Accompanying the EFS Web submission of this paper is an authorization to charge to a credit card the \$1,050 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) for reply within the third month.

Respectfully submitted,

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